

EARLY CHILDHOOD COUNCIL (ECC) PROVIDERS' COMMITTEE Monday, December 7, 2009, 4:00 PM

Chez Zee Cafe 5406 Balcones Drive Austin, Texas

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first three speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

3. PROVIDERS' COMMITTEE DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

- A. Finalize draft 2010 work plan and template document
- B. Analyze impacts if AISD went to half-day PreK
- C. Work on child care provider issues within the Texas Early Childhood Education Collaborative (TECEC) legislative agenda
 - Rate increase for subsidized child care
 - Pre-Kindergarten mixed delivery system model
 - Coordinate with AISD on design of model
- D. Monitor Child Care Licensing and other child care regulatory issues.
 - Review of weighted standards
 - Review and revision of standards
 - Interface of TWC TRS rules and weighted standards
- E. Identify and develop specific recommendations related to items B and/or C to take to ECC.
- F. Discuss recommendations from early care and education planning group and decide on further actions.

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